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In re Application of
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Application No. 09/530,684
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed September 5, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is GRANTED.

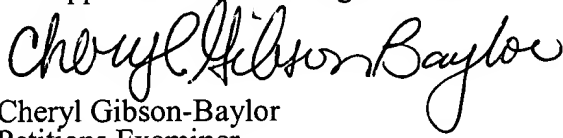
The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed January 29, 2002, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three(3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on April 30, 2002.

37 CFR 1.137(b)(3) requires a statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. If the statement contained in the instant petition varies from the language required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3), the statement contained in the instant petition is being construed as the statement required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3) and petitioner must notify the Office if this is **not** a correct interpretation of the statement contained in the instant petition.

The file does not indicate a change of address has been submitted, although the address given on the petition differs from the address of record. If appropriate, a change of address should be filed in accordance with MPEP 601.03. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address given on the petition; however, the Office will mail all future correspondence solely to the address of record.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Cheryl Gibson-Baylor at (703)308-5111.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 3700, Art Unit 3736.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cheryl Gibson-Baylor".

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